

Oxygen Transport Membrane Based OxyCombustion for CO₂ Capture from Coal Power Plants

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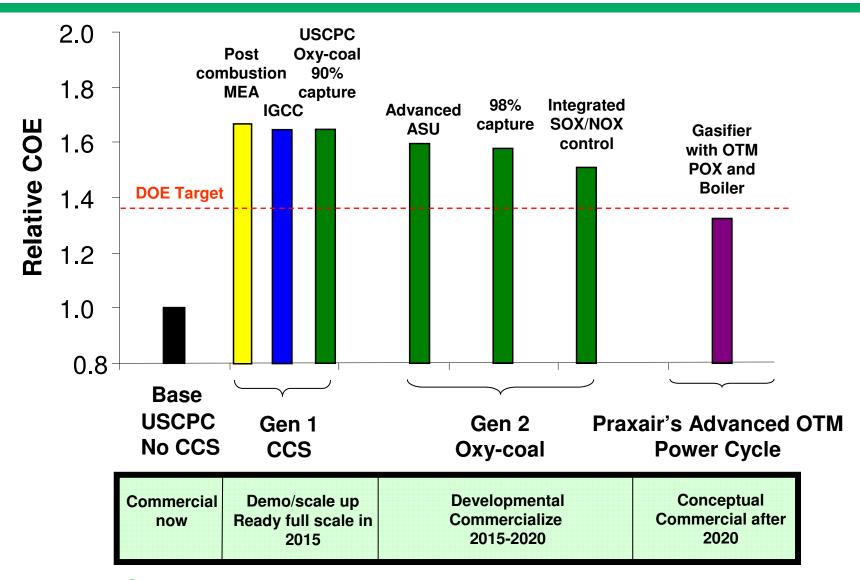
Praxair Clean Coal Technologies

Oxy Coal Combustion

- Oxygen Supply
- CO₂ Capture
- Oxy-Coal Burners
- High Temperature Coatings
- Tar Mitigation Solutions
- Oxygen Transport Membrane (OTM)
- Fortune 300 company with over \$10 billion revenues in 2008
- One of the leading industrial gas suppliers in the world
- Largest industrial gas supplier in North and South America

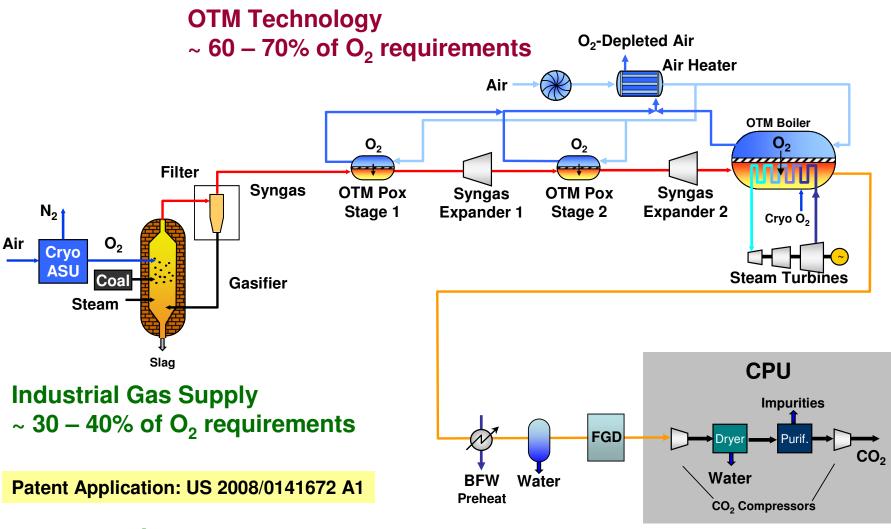


Advancing Oxyfuel Technology – Relative COE





OTM Advanced power cycle



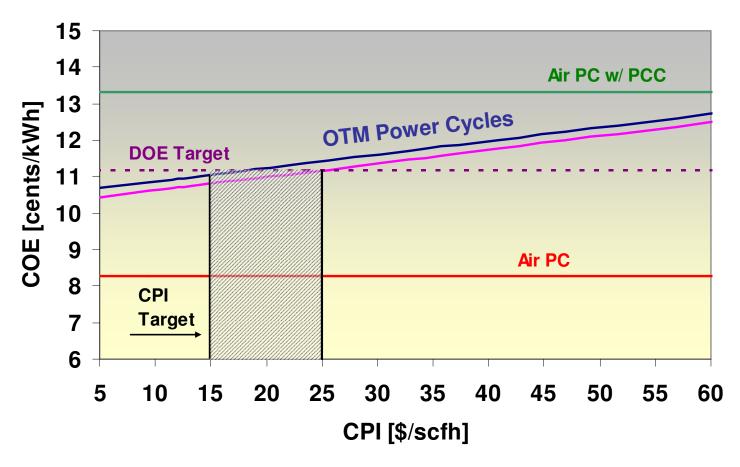


OTM Power Cycle - Advantages

- OTM O₂ consumes ~75% less power than cryogenic ASU O₂
- Thermal energy of synthesis gas fully utilized (no quench)
- No flue gas recycle required
- High efficiency steam cycle can be used
- Latent heat recovery from flue gas



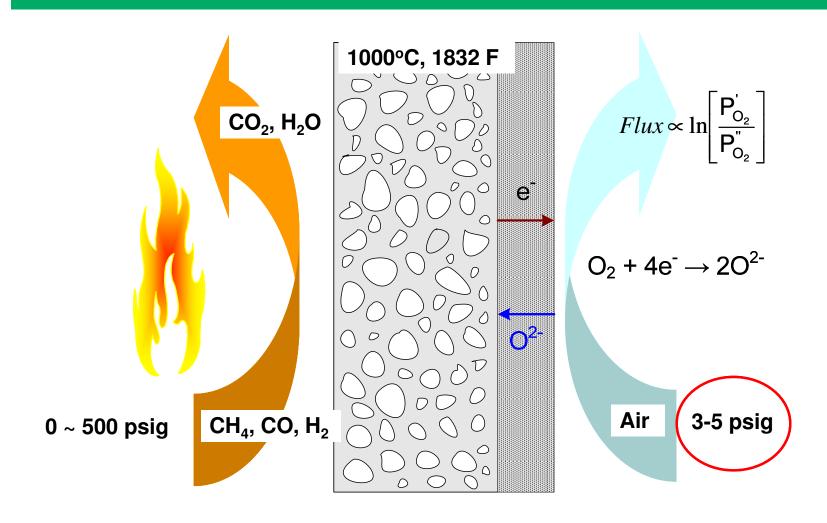
OTM Process Economics



- CPI (\$/scfh) = Cost (\$/sq.ft) / Performance (scfh/sq.ft)
- Assumption: Coal price \$3/MMBTU



OTM Principle of Operation



Oxy-Combustion with OTM Oxygen Separation



OTM Materials

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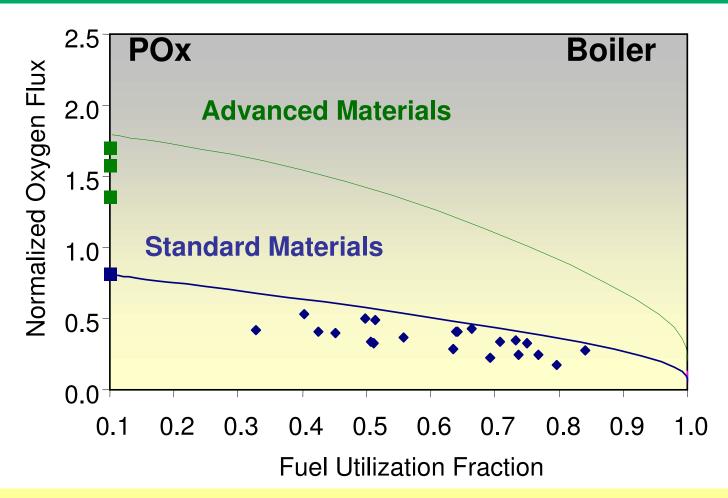
- Porous Support
 - Doped Zirconia
- Separation/Reaction Layer
 - Dual phase: metallic oxide & doped Zirconia

Advanced OTM Materials

- Porous Support: Improved mass transfer characteristics
- Separation/Reaction Layer: Improved fuel oxidation rates



OTM Performance



Incorporate advanced material system into full range of laboratory samples



OTM Testing Facilities

Praxair High / Low Pressure Reactors

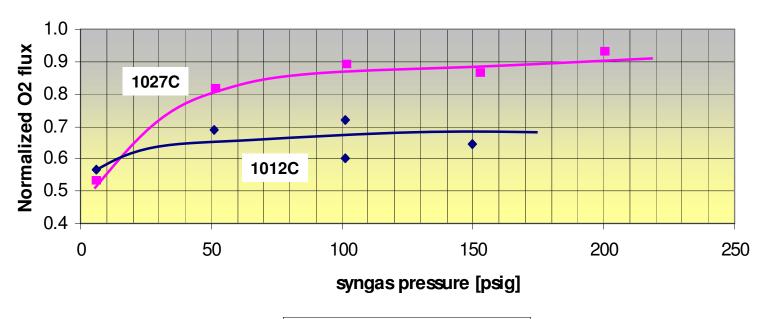
- Single tube
- Up to 1000 ℃
- Up to 200 PSI outside of tube
- Stability in sulfur



OTM High Pressure Reactor



OTM Performance



Testing Conditions

- ♦ No sulfur 10,000 ppm H2S
- Standard material set
- (H₂,CO,CH₄,CO₂,H₂O) w/ 1%H₂S, 560 ppm COS,
- 200 psi fuel, atmospheric air

Key Milestone: Stable Performance with H₂S and COS



OTM Testing Facilities

Utah OTM coal reactor

- Configuration
 - Multiple OTM tubes
 - Solid fuel
 - Performance/stability
- Status
 - Construction complete
 - Undergoing preliminary testsgaseous fuels
 - Preparing for solid fuel tests



OTM Coal Reactor
University of Utah



Summary

Step-change technology

- Reduced O₂ power cost (~75%)
- Reliability at pressure & with gaseous fuel impurities

Significant challenges / Next Steps

- Oxygen flux improvement while retaining robust tubes
- Understanding OTM Manufacturing costs (\$/sq. ft) (Phase II) & meeting manufacturing cost targets
- Design/engineering of a large scale OTM boiler (Phase II)



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